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WEST AFRICA HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE RESPONSE

This communiqué is to provide your Honorable Board with an update on the Fire Department's humanitarian assistance to West Africa as requested by the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) and the Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance (OFDA), due to the tragic Ebola outbreak.

Activation

USAID/OFDA has requested for the following two members of California Task Force 2 to assist with the humanitarian assistance response to West Africa:

- Captain Brian LeFave was activated to Monrovia, Liberia, on January 8, 2015, as part of the Ebola Disaster Assistance Response Team – Logistics.
- Captain Patrick Long is being activated to Monrovia, Liberia, on February 26, 2015, as part of the Ebola Disaster Assistance Response Team – Logistics.

Both activations have been scheduled for an approximate eight-week assignment. Daily communication will be maintained with USAID/OFDA and both employees through the Technical Operations Section, Pacoima facility.

I will keep your Honorable Board apprised of any additional updates.

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